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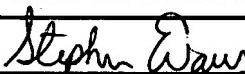
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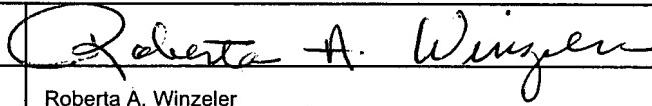
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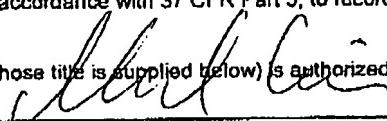
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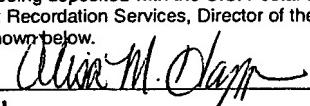
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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 9 day of June, 2004, by
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WHEREAS, Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in
BIPOLAR PLATE FOR FUEL CELLS, WHICH IS FORMED FROM A SHAPED FOIL,
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Patent of the United States, already filed on March 31, 2004, as U.S. application
No. 10/813,820; and

WHEREAS, REINZ-Dichtungs-GmbH, having its principal place of business at
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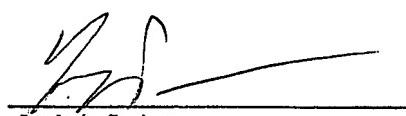
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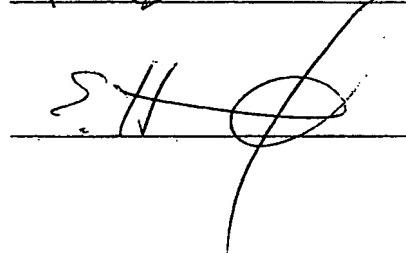
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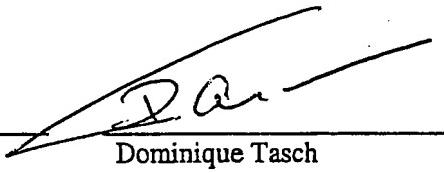


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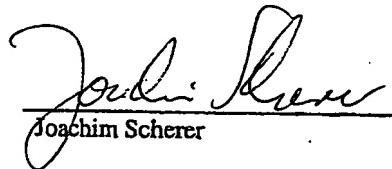
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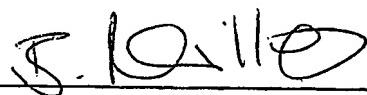
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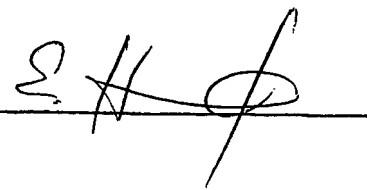
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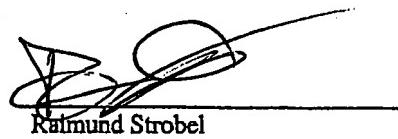
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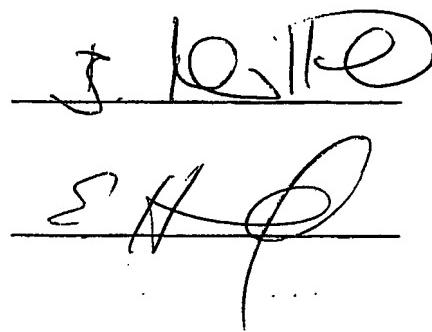
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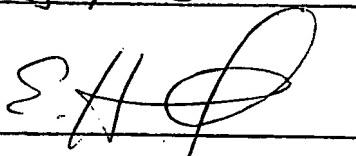
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